

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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RE: MUR 4934

Dear Mr. Hibey:

On October 19, 1999, the Federal Election Commission notified your client, Honorable Carlos Romero Barcelo, of a complaint alleging violations of certain sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. As he was informed at that time, this complaint was designated as Matter Under Review 4934.

On September 22, 2000, the Commission determined to take no action as to your client and closed the file. A copy of the First General Counsel's Report is enclosed for your file.

The confidentiality provisions at 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12) no longer apply and these matters are now public. In addition, although the complete file must be placed on the public record within 30 days, this could occur at any time following certification of the Commission's vote. If you wish to submit any factual or legal materials to appear on the public record, please do so as soon as possible. While the file may be placed on the public record before receiving your additional materials, any permissible submissions will be added to the public record upon receipt.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely

April J. Sands

Attorney

Enclosure

First General Counsel's Report